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Sir:

The following utility patent application is enclosed for filing:

Applicant(s): Donald V. Perino

Executed on: July 27, 2000

Title of Invention: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR OPERATING A MASTER-SLAVE SYSTEM WITH A CLOCK
 SIGNAL AND A SEPARATE PHASE SIGNAL

PATENT APPLICATION FEE VALUE

TYPE	NO. FILED	LESS	EXTRA	EXTRA RATE	FEE
Total Claims	26	-20	6	\$18.00 each	\$ 108.00
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Multiple Dependency Fee If Applicable (\$260.00)					\$ 0.00
Total					\$ 798.00
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Also enclosed:

- ☒ Declaration by the inventor; and
- ☒ 10 sheets of formal drawings (6 figures).

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 copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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